# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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CRIME AGAINST WOMEN
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether crimes against women have increased during the last three years;

(b) if so, the number of such cases reported during the last three years;

(c) whether there is a proposal to grant stationary Status to National Commission for Women;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the time by which the status is likely to be given?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH)

(a)&(b) As per the statistical data compiled by the National Crime Records Bureau under the Ministry of Home Affairs, the total number of cases of crimes against women reported in the country during the years 2001, 2002 and 2003 are as follows:-

| Year | No. of cases |
|---|---|
| 2001 | 143795 |
| 2002 | 147678 |
| 2003 | 132720# |

# figures are provisional.

Similar figures for the year 2004 are yet to be received from the States and Union Territories.

(c),(d)&(e) the National Commission for Women is a statutory body as it has been constituted under the National Commission for Women Act, 1990.